

THE LABOUR FORCE, VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989

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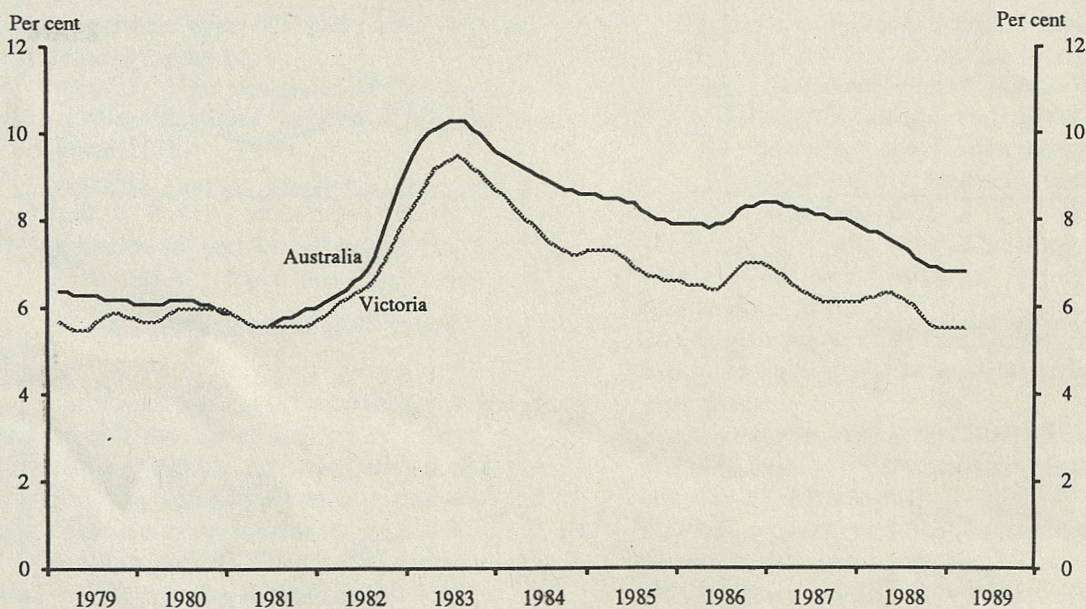
MAIN FEATURES

The trend series in the graph below show the Victorian unemployment rate was consistently below that for Australia. Trend series and seasonally adjusted series data are available in *The labour Force, Australia* (6203.0) (monthly).

This publication (6202.2) provides detailed original series data for Victoria including data classified by geographic region.

In February 1989 Victoria's labour force was estimated at 2,139,600 persons (original series). Of these 2,003,800 were employed and 135,800 were unemployed. A further 1,218,400 persons aged 15 and over were not in the labour force. The Victorian unemployment rate was 6.7 per cent in February 1988 and dropped slightly to 6.3 per cent in February 1989. The average Australian unemployment rate for February 1989 was 7.3 per cent. The median duration of unemployment in Victoria at February 1989 was 9.0 weeks.

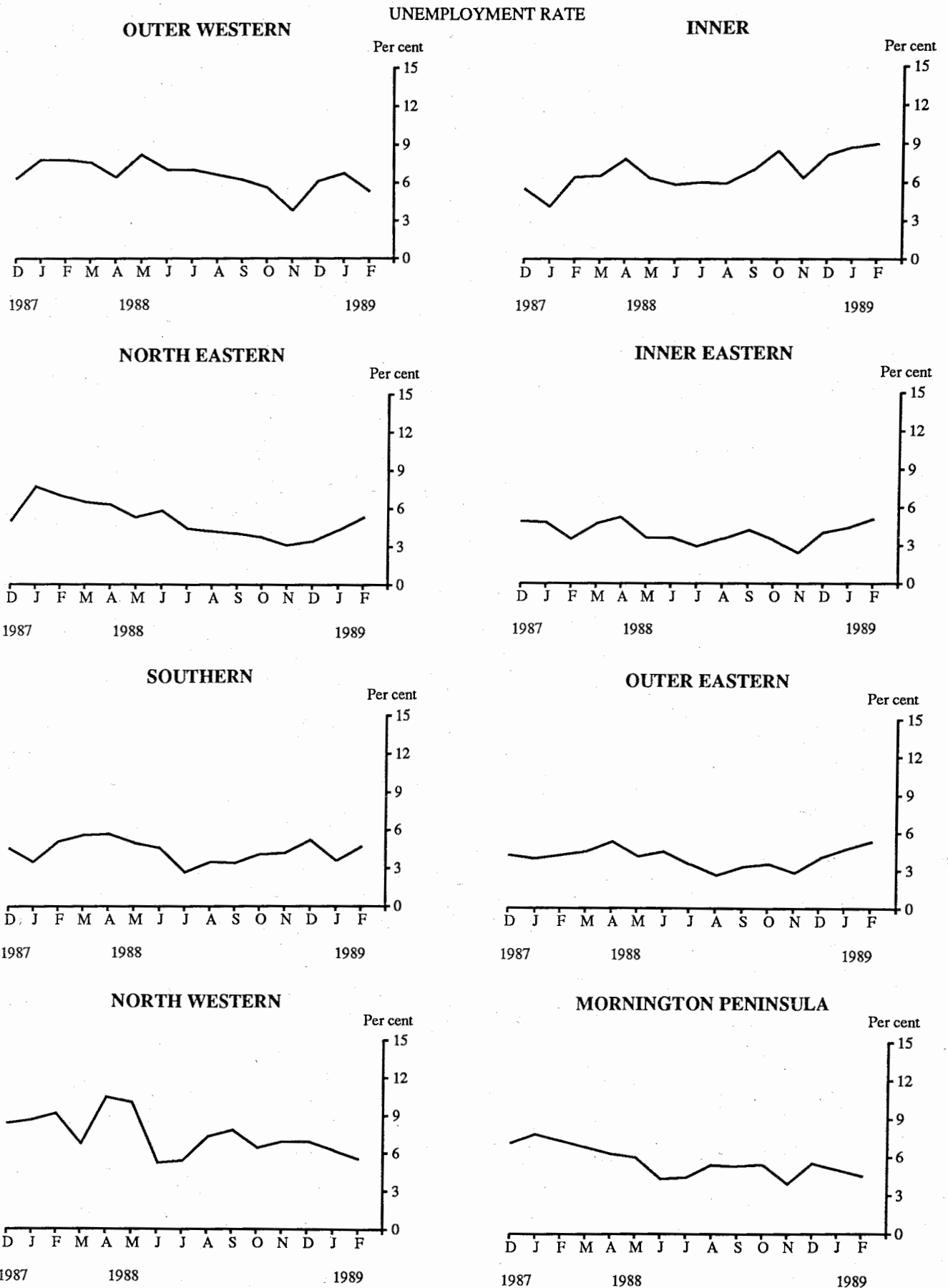
**UNEMPLOYMENT RATE: TREND SERIES
VICTORIA AND AUSTRALIA**



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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This publication contains Victorian labour force estimates derived from the Monthly Population Survey conducted throughout Australia each month by the Australian Bureau of Statistics. Labour force estimates for employed persons classified by industry and occupation are only available quarterly (i.e. each February, May, August, and November).

2. Commencing with the April 1986 labour force survey, the definition of employment has been extended to include all persons who worked without pay for one hour or more in a family business or on a farm (i.e. unpaid family helpers). This results from changes to international standard definitions by the International Labour Organisation (ILO). Previously, such persons who worked 1 to 14 hours or who had such a job but were not at work were defined as either unemployed or not in the labour force, depending on whether they were actively looking for work. More details about this change, together with other changes made to the questionnaire, are contained in *The Labour Force, Australia, April 1986* (6203.0) and in an information paper *Questionnaires used in the Labour Force Survey* (6232.0).

Conduct of the ABS Monthly Population Survey

3. The survey is based on a multi-stage area sample of private dwellings (houses, flats, etc.) and non-private dwellings (hotels, motels, etc.) and covers about one-half of one per cent of the Victorian population. The information is obtained from the occupants by trained ABS interviewers.

Scope of survey

4. All persons aged 15 years and over are included in the survey except:

- (a) members of the permanent defence forces;
- (b) certain diplomatic personnel of overseas governments;
- (c) overseas visitors holidaying in Australia; and
- (d) members of non-Australian defence forces (and their dependants) stationed in Australia.

Definitions

5. The labour force category to which a person is assigned depends on his or her actual activity (i.e. whether working, looking for work, etc.) during the survey week. The definitions conform closely to the standard definitions recommended by the ILO.

Employed persons comprise all those aged 15 years and over who, during the survey week:

- (a) worked for one hour or more for pay, profit, commission, or payment in kind in a job or business, or on a farm (including employees, employers, and self-employed persons); or
- (b) worked for one hour or more without pay in a family business or on a farm (i.e. unpaid family helper); or

(c) were employees who had a job but were not at work and were:

- (i) on paid leave;
 - (ii) on leave without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the survey week;
 - (iii) stood down without pay because of bad weather or plant breakdown at their place of employment for less than four weeks, up to the end of the survey week;
 - (iv) on strike or locked out;
 - (v) on workers' compensation and expected to be returning to their job; or
 - (vi) receiving wages or salary while undertaking full-time study; or
- (d) were employers, self-employed persons or unpaid family helpers who had a job, business, or farm, but were not at work.

Unemployed persons are those aged 15 years and over who were not employed during the survey week, and:

- (a) had actively looked for full-time or part-time work at any time in the four weeks up to the end of the survey week and were:
 - (i) available for work in the survey week, or would have been available except for temporary illness (i.e. lasting for less than four weeks); or
 - (ii) waiting to start a new job within four weeks from the end of the survey week and would have started in the survey week if the job had been available then; or
- (b) were waiting to be called back to a full-time or part-time job from which they had been stood down without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the survey week (including the whole survey week) for reasons other than bad weather or plant breakdown.

The *labour force* comprises all persons who, during the survey week, were employed or unemployed, as defined above.

The *unemployment rate* is the number of unemployed in each group as a percentage of the labour force in the same group.

The *participation rate* is the labour force in each group as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 years and over in the same group.

Full-time workers are those who usually work 35 hours a week or more and others who, although usually part-time workers, worked 35 hours or more during the survey week.

Part-time workers are those who usually work less than 35 hours a week and who did so during the survey week. When recording hours of work, fractions of an hour are disregarded.

Hours of work. The figures of aggregate hours and average hours refer to actual hours worked during the survey week, not hours paid for.

Persons not in the labour force are those who, during the survey week, were not in the categories 'employed' or 'unemployed'.

Marital status. In the labour force survey, persons are classified as *married* or *not married*. Marital status is determined from information supplied by the respondent about the individual himself or herself and, where the person was reported as being married, about the living arrangements of persons usually resident in the household.

Revision of series

6. New benchmarks based on the results of the 1986 Census of Population and Housing are now available and have been introduced in this issue of this publication. Labour force estimates have been revised for the period January 1984 to January 1989. All estimates produced after January 1989 will be based on the new benchmarks.

Status of worker

7. Status of worker is classified by occupational status, i.e. whether they were employers, self-employed persons, wage and salary earners (employees), or unpaid family helpers (who worked one hour or more in the survey week).

Classification of industry and occupation

8. Industry is classified according to the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC), 1983 and occupation according to the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO), 1986. Occupational data classified to ASCO were introduced for the August 1986 survey, replacing the Classification and Classified List of Occupations, Revised, November 1980 used in previous surveys. The appendix in the August 1986 issue of *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0) contains a more detailed explanation of the concepts and structure underlying ASCO.

Victorian regions

9. Detailed maps of the Labour force regions are presented at the end of this publication. Users should note that from September 1987 there have been some significant changes made to the number and composition of Labour force regions for the Melbourne Statistical Division. These changes are presented in the maps mentioned above.

Reliability of estimates

10. Since the estimates in this publication are based on information obtained from occupants of a sample of dwellings they, and the movements derived from them, may differ from the figures that would have been produced if all dwellings had been included in the

survey. One measure of the likely difference is given by the standard error of an estimate. Standard errors of survey estimates and month to month movements calculated for all regions are shown on page 30. As the above problems are compounded when the statistics are disaggregated to regional data, users are particularly advised to treat month to month movements for regional data with caution. An explanation of standard errors and their use can be found in the technical notes of *The Labour Force, Australia*, (6203.0) (monthly).

11. Labour force survey estimates are calculated in a way as to add up to the independently derived estimates of the population aged 15 years and over by age and sex. Regular independent estimates of the population at the regional level are not available for use as benchmarks in the manner described above. Therefore users should not use the data in this publication as a means to calculate the civilian population aged 15 years and over within each region.

Related publications

12. Users may also wish to refer to the following publications, available on request:

Statistical Maps, Victoria (1103.2) (irregular) (\$19.50)
The Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary (6202.0) (monthly) (\$5.00)

The Labour Force, Australia (6203.0) (monthly) (\$7.50)

Information Paper: Questionnaires Used in the Labour Force Survey, Australia (6232.0)

Information Paper: Victorian Labour Force Statistics (6262.2)

13. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia* (1101.0) which is available free of charge from any ABS Office.

14. Other unpublished data from labour force surveys on aspects of the Victorian labour force are held by the Victorian Office of the ABS, and may be available on request.

Statistics on VIATEL

15. Selected economic, social, and population statistics are available on **VIATEL *656#**.

Symbols and other usages

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- n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
- .. not applicable
- r revised
- * subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes

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TABLE 1. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY
LABOUR FORCE STATUS, VICTORIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed looking for work			Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Civilian population 15 years and over (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (Per cent)	Partici- pation rate (Per cent)
	Full-time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})	Full-time (^{'000})	Part-time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})					
MALES										
1987 - Dec. r	1,080.4	1,167.0	60.7	12.7	73.4	1,240.4	375.9	1,616.3	5.9	76.7
1988 - Jan. r	1,075.8	1,153.2	63.4	9.6	73.0	1,226.2	392.7	1,618.9	6.0	75.7
Feb. r	1,081.4	1,157.2	61.1	10.3	71.5	1,228.6	392.7	1,621.3	5.8	75.8
Mar. r	1,084.3	1,166.1	58.2	8.5	66.8	1,232.9	390.9	1,623.8	5.4	75.9
Apr. r	1,083.5	1,169.4	57.9	12.4	70.3	1,239.7	386.4	1,626.1	5.7	76.2
May r	1,077.2	1,159.0	57.6	9.5	67.1	1,226.0	402.3	1,628.4	5.5	75.3
June r	1,082.1	1,162.4	53.5	7.3	60.8	1,223.2	407.4	1,630.6	5.0	75.0
July r	1,077.6	1,162.1	52.4	4.3	56.7	1,218.7	414.1	1,632.9	4.7	74.6
Aug. r	1,067.1	1,142.8	50.8	6.3	57.1	1,199.9	435.0	1,635.0	4.8	73.4
Sept. r	1,085.2	1,167.8	50.8	5.3	56.1	1,224.0	413.1	1,637.1	4.6	74.8
Oct. r	1,088.1	1,161.4	50.0	8.4	58.4	1,219.8	419.7	1,639.5	4.8	74.4
Nov. r	1,079.9	1,163.8	44.2	6.3	50.5	1,214.3	427.6	1,641.9	4.2	74.0
Dec. r	1,103.7	1,185.5	51.2	12.5	63.7	1,249.3	395.1	1,644.3	5.1	76.0
1989 - Jan. r	1,080.7	1,157.8	53.7	10.7	64.4	1,222.3	424.4	1,646.7	5.3	74.2
Feb.	1,107.3	1,185.4	56.6	11.1	67.7	1,253.1	396.0	1,649.1	5.4	76.0
MARRIED FEMALES										
1987 - Dec. r	250.4	454.1	14.3	8.6	22.9	477.0	493.8	970.8	4.8	49.1
1988 - Jan. r	245.0	433.4	14.5	7.4	21.9	455.4	515.2	970.6	4.8	46.9
Feb. r	247.2	446.3	15.6	11.7	27.3	473.6	499.9	973.5	5.8	48.7
Mar. r	250.6	463.5	14.7	13.4	28.1	491.6	482.6	974.2	5.7	50.5
Apr. r	245.3	457.0	10.9	14.4	25.3	482.3	494.2	976.5	5.2	49.4
May r	237.3	460.9	15.0	12.5	27.4	488.3	490.5	978.8	5.6	49.9
June r	242.4	467.1	13.0	11.6	24.6	491.8	489.2	981.0	5.0	50.1
July r	251.4	467.4	11.4	8.4	19.8	487.2	494.2	981.4	4.1	49.6
Aug. r	252.4	473.0	13.5	9.8	23.4	496.4	494.0	990.4	4.7	50.1
Sept. r	266.4	492.9	13.6	9.6	23.3	516.1	476.0	992.1	4.5	52.0
Oct. r	268.0	483.2	11.7	8.3	20.0	503.2	491.2	994.3	4.0	50.6
Nov. r	268.9	498.9	10.8	8.9	19.7	518.6	476.1	994.7	3.8	52.1
Dec. r	273.4	503.4	10.6	8.5	19.1	522.5	474.3	996.8	3.7	52.4
1989 - Jan. r	262.4	465.4	10.5	8.2	18.6	484.0	510.7	994.7	3.8	48.7
Feb.	257.1	480.6	15.6	11.3	27.0	507.6	487.1	994.7	5.3	51.0
OTHER FEMALES										
1987 - Dec. r	251.4	340.5	26.2	10.6	36.8	377.3	328.9	706.2	9.8	53.4
1988 - Jan. r	238.0	318.9	29.9	9.2	39.1	358.0	350.7	708.7	10.9	50.5
Feb. r	236.7	316.0	28.4	10.8	39.2	355.1	352.9	708.0	11.0	50.2
Mar. r	233.9	321.7	28.8	15.0	43.8	365.5	344.1	709.6	12.0	51.5
Apr. r	237.8	327.0	29.1	17.1	46.1	373.1	336.4	709.5	12.4	52.6
May r	231.9	315.6	26.1	12.5	38.7	354.2	355.3	709.5	10.9	49.9
June r	227.1	314.2	25.0	12.2	37.3	351.4	357.9	709.4	10.6	49.5
July r	229.2	314.3	23.2	7.9	31.2	345.5	365.8	711.3	9.0	48.6
Aug. r	232.2	314.6	25.3	9.1	34.4	349.0	355.4	704.4	9.9	49.5
Sept. r	234.9	321.1	22.3	13.0	35.3	356.4	348.4	704.8	9.9	50.6
Oct. r	234.4	317.3	19.3	12.0	31.3	348.5	356.4	704.9	9.0	49.4
Nov. r	237.2	323.1	18.0	8.7	27.7	349.8	357.1	706.9	7.6	49.5
Dec. r	245.2	339.9	24.4	13.9	38.3	378.2	329.1	707.2	10.1	53.5
1989 - Jan. r	243.2	328.9	26.2	13.4	39.6	368.5	343.3	711.8	10.8	51.8
Feb.	247.0	337.8	29.3	11.9	41.2	379.0	335.2	714.2	10.9	53.1

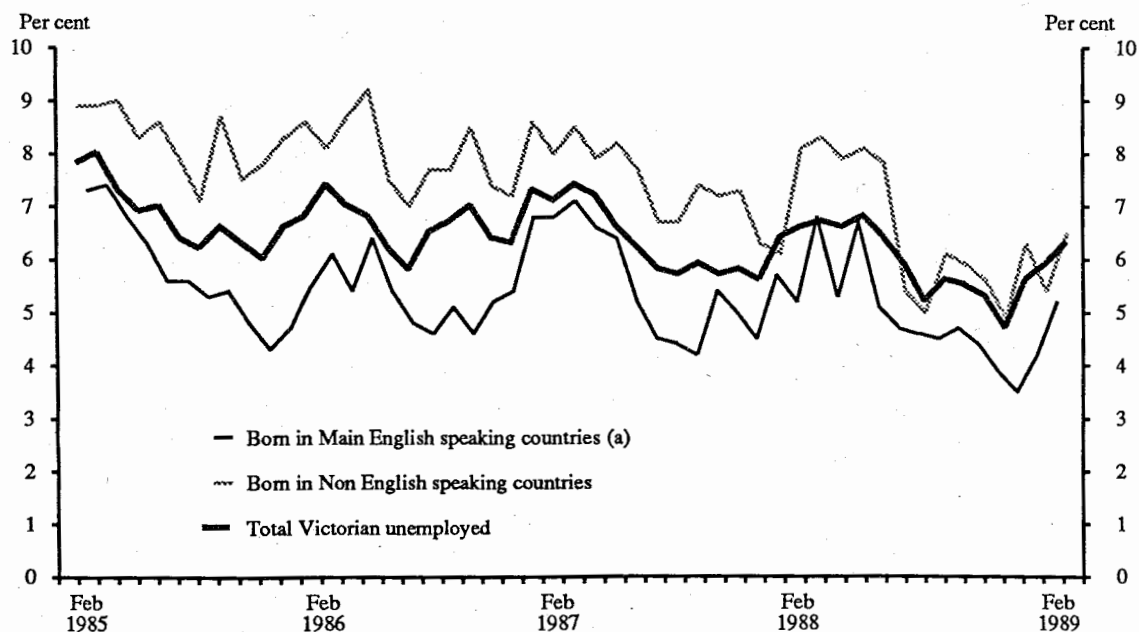
**TABLE 1. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY
LABOUR FORCE STATUS, VICTORIA - continued**

Month	Employed		Unemployed looking for work			Labour force ('000)	Not in labour force ('000)	Civilian population 15 years and over ('000)	Unemp- loyment rate (Per cent)	Partici- pation rate (Per cent)
	Full-time ('000)	Total ('000)	Full-time ('000)	Part-time ('000)	Total ('000)					
ALL FEMALES										
1987 - Dec. r	501.8	794.6	40.5	19.2	59.7	854.3	822.7	1,677.0	7.0	50.9
1988 - Jan. r	483.0	752.4	44.5	16.6	61.1	813.4	865.9	1,679.3	7.5	48.4
Feb. r	484.0	762.3	43.9	22.6	66.5	828.8	852.8	1,681.5	8.0	49.3
Mar. r	484.4	785.3	43.5	28.4	71.9	857.2	826.7	1,683.8	8.4	50.9
Apr. r	483.1	784.1	39.9	31.5	71.1	855.5	830.6	1,686.0	8.3	50.7
May r	469.2	776.4	41.1	25.0	66.1	842.5	845.7	1,688.2	7.8	49.9
June r	469.5	781.3	38.1	23.8	61.9	843.2	847.2	1,690.4	7.3	49.9
July r	480.6	781.7	34.7	16.3	51.0	832.7	859.9	1,692.6	6.1	49.2
Aug. r	484.6	787.6	38.8	19.0	57.8	845.4	849.3	1,694.8	6.8	49.9
Sept. r	501.3	814.0	35.9	22.6	58.5	872.5	824.4	1,696.9	6.7	51.4
Oct. r	502.4	800.4	31.1	20.3	51.3	851.7	847.6	1,699.3	6.0	50.1
Nov. r	506.1	822.0	28.8	17.6	46.4	868.4	833.2	1,701.6	5.3	51.0
Dec. r	518.6	843.2	34.9	22.4	57.4	900.6	803.4	1,704.0	6.4	52.9
1989 - Jan. r	505.6	794.3	36.7	21.6	58.3	852.5	853.9	1,706.5	6.8	50.0
Feb.	504.1	818.4	45.0	23.2	68.1	886.6	822.4	1,708.9	7.7	51.9
PERSONS										
1987 - Dec. r	1,582.3	1,961.6	101.2	31.9	133.1	2,094.7	1,198.6	3,293.3	6.4	63.6
1988 - Jan. r	1,558.7	1,905.5	107.9	26.2	134.1	2,039.6	1,258.5	3,298.2	6.6	61.8
Feb. r	1,565.3	1,919.5	105.1	32.9	138.0	2,057.4	1,245.5	3,302.9	6.7	62.3
Mar. r	1,568.7	1,951.4	101.7	37.0	138.6	2,090.0	1,217.5	3,307.6	6.6	63.2
Apr. r	1,566.6	1,953.5	97.8	43.9	141.7	2,095.2	1,217.0	3,312.2	6.8	63.3
May r	1,546.4	1,935.4	98.7	34.4	133.1	2,068.5	1,248.1	3,316.6	6.4	62.4
June r	1,551.5	1,943.7	91.6	31.1	122.7	2,066.5	1,254.5	3,321.0	5.9	62.2
July r	1,558.1	1,943.7	87.0	20.6	107.7	2,051.4	1,274.1	3,325.5	5.3	61.7
Aug. r	1,551.7	1,930.5	89.7	25.2	114.9	2,045.4	1,284.4	3,329.7	5.6	61.4
Sept. r	1,586.5	1,981.8	86.7	27.9	114.6	2,096.5	1,237.5	3,334.0	5.5	62.9
Oct. r	1,590.5	1,961.8	81.1	28.6	109.7	2,071.5	1,267.2	3,338.8	5.3	62.0
Nov. r	1,586.0	1,985.8	73.0	23.9	96.9	2,082.7	1,260.8	3,343.5	4.7	62.3
Dec. r	1,622.3	2,028.8	86.1	35.0	121.1	2,149.9	1,198.4	3,348.3	5.6	64.2
1989 - Jan. r	1,586.3	1,952.1	90.4	32.3	122.7	2,074.8	1,278.4	3,353.2	5.9	61.9
Feb.	1,611.4	2,003.8	101.5	34.3	135.8	2,139.6	1,218.4	3,358.0	6.3	63.7

TABLE 2. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS, AGE, AND ATTENDANCE AT AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989

Particulars	Employed		Total (^{'000})	Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})						
Age (years) -								
15 - 19								
15 - 17	35.6	46.7	82.4	22.5	104.9	111.7	21.5	48.4
18 - 19	76.6	26.6	103.2	20.1	123.3	26.6	16.3	82.2
Attending school	*0.4	42.4	42.8	10.9	53.7	109.0	20.3	33.0
Not attending school -								
Left before 1987	42.6	6.8	49.4	6.8	56.2	6.0	12.1	90.3
Left from 1987 to survey date	69.2	24.2	93.4	24.9	118.3	22.3	21.1	84.1
Total aged 15 - 19 years	112.2	73.3	185.5	42.6	228.2	138.3	18.7	62.3
Age (years) -								
20 - 24	246.5	33.9	280.4	22.4	302.7	46.8	7.4	86.6
25 - 34	452.2	83.5	535.7	30.8	566.5	138.2	5.4	80.4
35 - 44	400.9	93.9	494.8	21.7	516.5	115.1	4.2	81.8
45 - 54	259.3	59.4	318.7	9.1	327.8	115.3	2.8	74.0
55 and over	140.3	48.4	188.7	9.2	197.9	664.6	4.6	22.9
Attending tertiary educational institution full-time								
Age (years) -								
15 - 19	6.5	15.1	21.6	5.5	27.2	16.0	20.4	63.0
20 - 24	10.3	12.4	22.7	*1.9	24.6	14.5	*7.6	62.8

**UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF MIGRANTS (BY BIRTHPLACE)
AND TOTAL UNEMPLOYED, VICTORIA**



(a) Comprises United Kingdom and Ireland, Canada, United States of America, South Africa, and New Zealand.

TABLE 3. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS, BIRTHPLACE, AND PERIOD OF ARRIVAL IN AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989

<i>Birthplace particulars</i>	<i>Employed</i>			<i>Unemp- loyed ('000)</i>	<i>Labour force ('000)</i>	<i>Not in labour force ('000)</i>	<i>Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)</i>	<i>Partici- pation rate (a) (per cent)</i>
	<i>Full- time ('000)</i>	<i>Part- time ('000)</i>	<i>Total ('000)</i>					
Born in Australia	1,124.7	306.5	1,431.2	98.8	1,530.0	793.3	6.5	65.9
Born outside Australia -								
Africa	22.9	*3.5	26.4	*1.9	28.3	15.2	*6.8	65.1
America	10.4	*3.6	14.0	*1.2	15.2	5.5	*7.7	73.5
Asia	88.3	12.2	100.5	14.0	114.5	62.6	12.2	64.6
Europe -								
Germany	16.6	*2.2	18.8	*1.2	20.0	11.8	*6.2	62.9
Greece	40.9	6.6	47.5	*3.4	50.9	34.6	*6.7	59.6
Italy	57.0	7.4	64.5	*1.8	66.3	56.8	*2.8	53.8
Malta	15.1	*2.7	17.8	*1.0	18.8	12.8	*5.4	59.5
Netherlands	16.4	*3.4	19.7	*0.5	20.2	9.1	*2.5	69.0
Poland	11.0	*1.0	12.0	*0.2	12.2	14.6	*1.9	45.6
UK and Ireland	110.1	25.5	135.6	6.3	141.9	96.7	4.4	59.5
Yugoslavia	41.1	5.0	46.1	*1.5	47.6	24.0	*3.2	66.5
Other Europe	25.1	7.5	32.6	*1.0	33.6	20.6	*2.9	62.0
Total Europe	333.2	61.2	394.5	16.9	411.4	280.9	4.1	59.4
New Zealand	27.5	*4.1	31.5	*2.8	34.4	7.7	*8.2	81.7
Total Oceania	31.9	5.3	37.2	*3.1	40.2	10.0	*7.6	80.1
Main English speaking countries (b)	150.3	33.0	183.4	10.0	193.4	111.3	5.2	63.5
Other	336.4	52.8	389.2	27.1	416.3	262.8	6.5	61.3
Period of arrival -								
Before 1961	121.3	26.6	147.9	5.2	153.1	169.0	3.4	47.5
1961 - 1965	71.6	12.8	84.4	*3.2	87.6	42.6	*3.7	67.3
1966 - 1970	91.3	14.2	105.5	5.2	110.7	47.1	4.7	70.1
1971 - 1975	61.3	11.4	72.8	*3.6	76.4	36.0	*4.7	68.0
1976 - 1980	43.9	6.3	50.2	*3.6	53.8	21.9	*6.7	71.1
1981 - 1985	51.9	8.2	60.1	4.7	64.8	26.8	7.2	70.8
1986 to survey date	45.4	6.3	51.7	11.6	63.2	30.9	18.3	67.2
Total overseas born	486.7	85.9	572.6	37.0	609.6	374.2	6.1	62.0

(a) Because it is not practicable to ascertain the birthplace of persons in institutions (who are classified as 'not in the labour force'), labour force participation rates for persons classified by birthplace are calculated by using population estimates which exclude those in institutions.

(b) Comprises United Kingdom and Ireland, Canada, United States of America, South Africa, and New Zealand.

TABLE 4. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND FAMILY STATUS, VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989

Family status	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Civilian popu- lation 15 years and over (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})						
Member of a family -									
Married -									
Husband -									
With children (a)	403.8	6.3	410.2	15.8	425.9	19.3	445.2	3.7	95.7
Without children (a)	313.5	16.5	330.0	8.3	338.3	189.8	528.1	2.5	64.1
Wife -									
With children (a)	104.6	133.9	238.4	16.7	255.1	183.5	438.7	6.6	58.2
Without children (a)	142.9	83.9	226.8	9.2	236.0	283.4	519.4	3.9	45.4
Not-married family head -									
Male -									
With children (a)	4.9	*0.0	4.9	*0.2	5.1	*1.6	6.7	*4.8	76.4
Without children (a)	12.9	*1.1	14.0	*0.2	14.2	5.6	19.8	*1.7	71.7
Female -									
With children (a)	15.4	9.8	25.3	*3.3	28.6	24.6	53.1	*11.6	53.8
Without children (a)	15.5	4.9	20.4	*1.7	22.2	39.2	61.4	*7.8	36.1
Child of family head (b) -									
Males	183.1	38.3	221.4	24.5	245.9	83.4	329.3	10.0	74.7
Females	109.4	51.3	160.6	27.0	187.7	74.4	262.1	14.4	71.6
Other relative of family head	16.8	*2.7	19.5	*2.8	22.3	35.5	57.9	*12.5	38.6
Total	1,322.8	348.7	1,671.5	109.8	1,781.3	940.3	2,721.6	6.2	65.5
Not a member of a family -									
Living alone -									
Males	66.0	4.6	70.6	5.7	76.3	37.0	113.3	7.4	67.3
Females	35.0	10.7	45.8	*3.2	49.0	122.3	171.3	*6.5	28.6
Not living alone -									
Males	79.7	6.0	85.7	5.8	91.5	10.1	101.6	6.3	90.1
Females	53.3	9.8	63.1	*4.3	67.4	9.7	77.1	*6.4	87.4
Total	233.9	31.3	265.2	19.0	284.2	179.0	463.2	6.7	61.3
Not family coded	54.6	12.5	67.1	7.0	74.1	99.1	173.2	9.5	42.8
Total	1,611.4	392.4	2,003.8	135.8	2,139.6	1,218.4	3,358.0	6.3	63.7

(a) Aged 0-14 present in household. (b) Aged 15 and over.

**TABLE 5 CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, DECEMBER 1988**

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed ('000)	Labour force ('000)	Not in labour force ('000)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time ('000)	Part- time ('000)	Total ('000)					
MALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	798.3	58.1	856.4	41.1	897.5	271.5	4.6	76.8
Outer Western Melbourne r	119.4	6.4	125.8	8.6	134.4	39.7	6.4	77.2
North Western Melbourne r	63.9	*4.0	67.9	*4.3	72.2	24.3	*6.0	74.9
Inner Melbourne r	54.9	6.0	60.9	4.8	65.7	24.3	7.3	73.0
North Eastern Melbourne r	102.2	5.5	107.7	*3.5	111.1	33.3	*3.1	76.9
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	118.0	9.7	127.7	*4.0	131.7	39.1	*3.1	77.1
Southern Melbourne r	99.3	11.9	111.3	5.5	116.7	36.5	4.7	76.2
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	115.5	5.5	121.0	*3.8	124.8	29.0	*3.0	81.1
Mornington Peninsula r	125.0	9.1	134.1	6.8	140.8	45.2	4.8	75.7
Balance of Victoria r -	305.4	23.8	329.2	22.6	351.7	123.5	6.4	74.0
South Western Victoria r	75.2	7.6	82.8	5.2	88.0	35.1	5.9	71.5
Western Victoria r	66.1	*3.9	69.9	*3.6	73.6	25.9	*5.0	73.9
Northern Victoria r	97.9	8.3	106.3	8.1	114.3	40.9	7.1	73.7
Eastern Victoria r	66.2	*4.0	70.2	5.7	75.9	21.7	7.5	77.8
Total r	1,103.7	81.9	1,185.5	63.7	1,249.3	395.1	5.1	76.0
MARRIED FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	203.1	153.4	356.5	11.1	367.6	332.8	3.0	52.5
Outer Western Melbourne r	31.7	19.3	51.0	*2.0	53.0	57.5	*3.7	48.0
North Western Melbourne r	17.6	8.7	26.3	*1.8	28.1	25.3	*6.3	52.6
Inner Melbourne r	10.8	*2.8	13.6	*1.1	14.7	14.9	*7.3	49.8
North Eastern Melbourne r	26.8	18.7	45.5	*0.5	46.0	42.6	*1.1	51.9
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	28.0	27.8	55.8	*1.5	57.3	42.4	*2.6	57.4
Southern Melbourne r	25.0	19.5	44.5	*2.0	46.5	41.4	*4.3	52.9
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	30.9	28.9	59.8	*1.0	60.8	45.0	*1.7	57.5
Mornington Peninsula r	32.2	27.8	60.0	*1.2	61.2	63.7	*2.0	49.0
Balance of Victoria r -	70.4	76.5	146.8	8.0	154.8	141.5	5.2	52.3
South Western Victoria r	17.3	18.4	35.7	*2.1	37.8	40.6	*5.5	48.2
Western Victoria r	11.7	17.2	28.9	*0.2	29.1	25.8	*0.9	53.0
Northern Victoria r	24.1	26.9	51.0	*3.1	54.1	47.5	*5.8	53.3
Eastern Victoria r	17.3	14.0	31.3	*2.5	33.8	27.5	*7.5	55.1
Total r	273.4	229.9	503.4	19.1	522.5	474.3	3.7	52.4
ALL FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	395.2	222.1	617.3	38.4	655.8	564.1	5.9	53.8
Outer Western Melbourne r	54.5	25.1	79.6	4.7	84.3	90.3	5.6	48.3
North Western Melbourne r	36.5	12.6	49.1	*4.3	53.5	43.8	*8.1	55.0
Inner Melbourne r	34.1	9.1	43.2	*4.3	47.5	34.2	*9.1	58.2
North Eastern Melbourne r	51.9	26.9	78.7	*3.0	81.7	72.5	*3.7	53.0
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	66.2	41.7	107.9	5.8	113.8	79.9	5.1	58.7
Southern Melbourne r	46.7	30.6	77.4	5.0	82.3	72.8	6.1	53.1
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	53.3	38.6	91.9	5.0	96.9	73.4	5.2	56.9
Mornington Peninsula r	52.0	37.6	89.6	6.2	95.8	97.2	6.5	49.7
Balance of Victoria r -	123.4	102.6	225.9	18.9	244.9	239.3	7.7	50.6
South Western Victoria r	31.2	24.9	56.1	5.7	61.8	64.2	9.3	49.1
Western Victoria r	25.8	21.1	46.9	*2.1	49.0	46.6	*4.3	51.2
Northern Victoria r	39.4	36.1	75.6	7.1	82.6	81.9	8.6	50.2
Eastern Victoria r	26.9	20.5	47.4	*4.0	51.4	46.6	*7.8	52.5
Total r	518.6	324.6	843.2	57.4	900.6	803.4	6.4	52.9

**TABLE 5 CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, DECEMBER 1988** -continued

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})					
PERSONS								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	1,193.5	280.2	1,473.7	79.6	1,553.3	835.6	5.1	65.0
Outer Western Melbourne r	173.9	31.5	205.4	13.3	218.7	130.0	6.1	62.7
North Western Melbourne r	100.5	16.6	117.1	8.6	125.7	68.0	6.9	64.9
Inner Melbourne r	89.0	15.1	104.1	9.1	113.2	58.5	8.1	65.9
North Eastern Melbourne r	154.0	32.3	186.4	6.5	192.8	105.9	3.4	64.6
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	184.2	51.4	235.6	9.9	245.5	119.0	4.0	67.4
Southern Melbourne r	146.1	42.6	188.6	10.4	199.1	109.3	5.2	64.6
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	168.8	44.0	212.9	8.8	221.6	102.5	3.9	68.4
Mornington Peninsula r	177.0	46.7	223.7	13.0	236.6	142.4	5.5	62.4
Balance of Victoria r -	428.8	126.3	555.1	41.5	596.6	362.9	7.0	62.2
South Western Victoria r	106.4	32.4	138.8	10.9	149.7	99.3	7.3	60.1
Western Victoria r	91.9	24.9	116.8	5.8	122.6	72.5	4.7	62.8
Northern Victoria r	137.4	44.5	181.8	15.2	197.0	122.8	7.7	61.6
Eastern Victoria r	93.1	24.5	117.6	9.7	127.3	68.2	7.6	65.1
Total r	1,622.3	406.5	2,028.8	121.1	2,149.9	1,198.4	5.6	64.2

**TABLE 6. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, JANUARY 1989**

VICTORIAN REGIONS, JANUARY 1967

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})					
MALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	784.2	55.0	839.2	42.0	881.1	289.5	4.8	75.3
Outer Western Melbourne r	123.2	6.5	129.8	9.2	139.0	43.2	6.6	76.3
North Western Melbourne r	59.8	4.7	64.5	*2.9	67.5	22.7	*4.3	74.8
Inner Melbourne r	52.3	6.1	58.4	5.3	63.8	27.2	8.4	70.1
North Eastern Melbourne r	105.9	6.0	111.9	4.8	116.6	33.6	4.1	77.6
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	108.6	10.2	118.8	6.0	124.8	43.6	4.8	74.1
Southern Melbourne r	98.9	10.5	109.4	*3.9	113.3	40.4	*3.4	73.7
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	112.6	4.7	117.3	4.9	122.2	30.6	4.0	79.9
Mornington Peninsula r	122.9	6.2	129.1	5.0	134.0	48.2	3.7	73.6
Balance of Victoria r -	296.5	22.2	318.7	22.4	341.1	134.9	6.6	71.7
South Western Victoria r	77.2	4.9	82.1	5.2	87.3	36.0	5.9	70.8
Western Victoria r	57.7	*4.3	62.0	4.8	66.8	32.7	7.2	67.1
Northern Victoria r	101.5	7.8	109.3	7.3	116.7	42.0	6.3	73.5
Eastern Victoria r	60.2	5.0	65.2	5.1	70.4	24.2	7.3	74.4
Total r	1,080.7	77.1	1,157.8	64.4	1,222.3	424.4	5.3	74.2
MARRIED FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	196.9	139.4	336.4	10.4	346.7	352.4	3.0	49.6
Outer Western Melbourne r	33.3	17.1	50.4	*2.3	52.8	61.0	*4.4	46.4
North Western Melbourne r	16.0	8.0	24.0	*1.3	25.3	27.4	*5.1	47.9
Inner Melbourne r	11.5	*3.7	15.2	*0.3	15.5	16.1	*1.6	49.0
North Eastern Melbourne r	27.6	18.0	45.6	*1.5	47.1	45.5	*3.2	50.9
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	25.0	22.1	47.2	*0.8	48.0	48.8	*1.6	49.5
Southern Melbourne r	23.1	19.1	42.2	*1.3	43.5	43.4	*2.9	50.0
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	28.0	26.1	54.1	*1.1	55.2	47.3	*2.0	53.9
Mornington Peninsula r	32.3	25.3	57.7	*1.8	59.5	62.8	*3.0	48.6
Balance of Victoria r -	65.5	63.5	129.0	8.3	137.3	158.3	6.0	46.5
South Western Victoria r	13.9	14.8	28.6	*1.9	30.5	46.8	*6.1	39.4
Western Victoria r	11.0	14.3	25.3	*1.4	26.6	29.2	*5.1	47.7
Northern Victoria r	24.2	22.2	46.4	*2.9	49.4	52.9	*5.9	48.3
Eastern Victoria r	16.4	12.2	28.7	*2.1	30.8	29.4	*6.9	51.2
Total r	262.4	203.0	465.4	18.6	484.0	510.7	3.8	48.7
ALL FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	387.8	200.4	588.1	36.5	624.7	596.8	5.8	51.1
Outer Western Melbourne r	57.6	20.8	78.4	5.7	84.0	96.2	6.8	46.6
North Western Melbourne r	31.3	12.0	43.3	*4.2	47.4	46.6	*8.8	50.5
Inner Melbourne r	35.4	8.9	44.3	*4.4	48.7	38.0	*9.1	56.2
North Eastern Melbourne r	54.0	25.5	79.5	*3.8	83.3	76.5	*4.6	52.1
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	61.3	33.5	94.8	*3.9	98.7	86.4	*4.0	53.3
Southern Melbourne r	45.3	27.6	72.9	*2.9	75.7	80.6	*3.8	48.4
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	51.7	36.5	88.3	5.2	93.4	77.2	5.5	54.8
Mornington Peninsula r	51.2	35.7	86.8	6.5	93.3	95.3	6.9	49.5
Balance of Victoria r -	117.8	88.3	206.1	21.8	227.9	257.1	9.5	47.0
South Western Victoria r	26.2	22.5	48.7	6.5	55.2	72.6	11.7	43.2
Western Victoria r	24.5	18.0	42.6	*2.7	45.3	51.4	*6.0	46.8
Northern Victoria r	39.1	30.8	70.0	8.9	78.9	83.5	11.3	48.6
Eastern Victoria r	27.9	17.0	44.9	*3.6	48.5	49.6	*7.5	49.4
Total r	505.6	288.7	794.3	58.3	852.5	853.9	6.8	50.0

**TABLE 6. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, JANUARY 1989** -continued

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})					
PERSONS								
Melbourne Statistical Division r -	1,172.0	255.3	1,427.3	78.5	1,505.8	886.4	5.2	62.9
Outer Western Melbourne r	180.8	27.3	208.1	14.9	223.0	139.5	6.7	61.5
North Western Melbourne r	91.1	16.7	107.8	7.1	114.9	69.3	6.2	62.4
Inner Melbourne r	87.7	15.0	102.7	9.7	112.4	65.2	8.7	63.3
North Eastern Melbourne r	159.9	31.5	191.3	8.6	200.0	110.1	4.3	64.5
Inner Eastern Melbourne r	169.9	43.7	213.6	9.9	223.5	130.0	4.4	63.2
Southern Melbourne r	144.2	38.1	182.3	6.7	189.1	121.0	3.6	61.0
Outer Eastern Melbourne r	164.3	41.2	205.5	10.1	215.6	107.8	4.7	66.7
Mornington Peninsula r	174.1	41.8	215.9	11.5	227.4	143.5	5.0	61.3
Balance of Victoria r -	414.3	110.5	524.8	44.2	569.0	392.0	7.8	59.2
South Western Victoria r	103.3	27.5	130.8	11.7	142.5	108.6	8.2	56.7
Western Victoria r	82.2	22.4	104.6	7.5	112.1	84.1	6.7	57.1
Northern Victoria r	140.6	38.7	179.3	16.3	195.5	125.5	8.3	60.9
Eastern Victoria r	88.1	22.0	110.1	8.8	118.9	73.8	7.4	61.7
Total r	1,586.3	365.8	1,952.1	122.7	2,074.8	1,278.4	5.9	61.9

**TABLE 7. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1989**

VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1969

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})					
MALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division -	801.5	54.5	856.0	40.0	895.9	276.4	4.5	76.4
Outer Western Melbourne	125.8	6.1	131.8	8.6	140.5	40.6	6.1	77.6
North Western Melbourne	60.7	*3.6	64.3	*3.3	67.6	22.3	*4.8	75.2
Inner Melbourne	55.6	5.3	60.9	7.0	67.9	25.6	10.3	72.7
North Eastern Melbourne	106.5	5.9	112.4	4.5	116.9	31.8	3.9	78.6
Inner Eastern Melbourne	113.5	10.3	123.8	6.0	129.8	43.0	4.6	75.1
Southern Melbourne	98.0	11.0	109.0	*2.5	111.5	39.3	*2.2	74.0
Outer Eastern Melbourne	114.3	6.1	120.4	*4.4	124.8	27.7	*3.6	81.8
Mornington Peninsula	127.2	6.3	133.4	*3.6	137.0	46.1	*2.6	74.8
Balance of Victoria -	305.8	23.7	329.4	27.7	357.1	119.6	7.8	74.9
South Western Victoria	77.1	6.0	83.1	6.3	89.5	33.2	7.1	73.0
Western Victoria	62.9	4.7	67.6	6.4	73.9	24.1	8.6	75.4
Northern Victoria	97.8	8.7	106.5	9.0	115.5	38.1	7.8	75.2
Eastern Victoria	68.0	*4.3	72.3	6.0	78.3	24.2	7.6	76.3
Total	1,107.3	78.1	1,185.4	67.7	1,253.1	396.0	5.4	76.0
MARRIED FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division -	193.4	155.3	348.7	16.3	365.0	328.6	4.5	52.6
Outer Western Melbourne	32.0	19.7	51.7	*1.7	53.4	56.9	*3.3	48.4
North Western Melbourne	16.9	9.1	26.1	*1.5	27.6	25.2	*5.4	52.3
Inner Melbourne	11.2	6.7	18.0	*1.0	19.0	13.3	*5.3	58.8
North Eastern Melbourne	24.6	19.4	44.0	*1.0	45.0	48.2	*2.2	48.3
Inner Eastern Melbourne	27.4	24.5	51.9	*2.5	54.4	43.0	*4.6	55.8
Southern Melbourne	22.0	20.2	42.2	*3.5	45.8	39.5	*7.7	53.6
Outer Eastern Melbourne	25.9	29.5	55.4	*2.5	57.9	43.4	*4.3	57.1
Mornington Peninsula	33.4	26.2	59.6	*2.5	62.1	59.1	*4.0	51.2
Balance of Victoria -	63.7	68.1	131.9	10.7	142.6	158.5	7.5	47.4
South Western Victoria	15.1	16.3	31.4	*2.1	33.5	43.5	*6.2	43.5
Western Victoria	11.6	15.2	26.8	*1.1	27.9	29.4	*3.9	48.7
Northern Victoria	20.6	22.7	43.3	4.8	48.1	52.3	10.0	47.9
Eastern Victoria	16.5	13.9	30.3	*2.7	33.1	33.4	*8.3	49.7
Total	257.1	223.5	480.6	27.0	507.6	487.1	5.3	51.0
ALL FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division -	388.4	220.6	609.0	43.6	652.6	570.6	6.7	53.4
Outer Western Melbourne	56.2	25.9	82.2	*3.2	85.4	92.1	*3.8	48.1
North Western Melbourne	32.9	13.3	46.2	*3.1	49.3	43.1	*6.3	53.4
Inner Melbourne	36.4	15.3	51.8	*4.2	55.9	33.7	*7.5	62.4
North Eastern Melbourne	50.0	24.5	74.5	5.9	80.5	76.1	7.4	51.4
Inner Eastern Melbourne	64.0	36.1	100.1	6.2	106.2	86.5	5.8	55.1
Southern Melbourne	46.7	29.8	76.4	6.7	83.1	74.3	8.1	52.8
Outer Eastern Melbourne	49.9	41.3	91.3	7.4	98.7	70.4	7.5	58.4
Mornington Peninsula	52.2	34.3	86.5	6.9	93.4	94.4	7.4	49.7
Balance of Victoria -	115.7	93.7	209.4	24.6	234.0	251.8	10.5	48.2
South Western Victoria	28.6	25.4	53.9	7.2	61.1	65.9	11.7	48.1
Western Victoria	23.4	19.2	42.6	*3.7	46.3	50.9	*7.9	47.6
Northern Victoria	35.5	29.1	64.6	9.1	73.7	83.6	12.3	46.9
Eastern Victoria	28.3	19.9	48.2	4.6	52.9	51.4	8.8	50.7
Total	504.1	314.3	818.4	68.1	886.6	822.4	7.7	51.9

**TABLE 7. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1989** -continued

VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1987 -Continued								
Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})					
PERSONS								
Melbourne Statistical Division -	1,189.9	275.1	1,465.0	83.5	1,548.5	847.0	5.4	64.6
Outer Western Melbourne	182.0	32.0	214.0	11.9	225.8	132.7	5.3	63.0
North Western Melbourne	93.6	16.9	110.5	6.4	116.9	65.4	5.5	64.1
Inner Melbourne	92.0	20.6	112.6	11.2	123.8	59.3	9.0	67.6
North Eastern Melbourne	156.5	30.4	186.9	10.5	197.4	107.9	5.3	64.6
Inner Eastern Melbourne	177.4	46.4	223.9	12.1	236.0	129.4	5.1	64.6
Southern Melbourne	144.7	40.8	185.4	9.2	194.6	113.6	4.7	63.1
Outer Eastern Melbourne	164.2	47.4	211.6	11.8	223.5	98.1	5.3	69.5
Mornington Peninsula	179.4	40.6	220.0	10.5	230.4	140.5	4.5	62.1
Balance of Victoria -	421.5	117.3	538.8	52.3	591.1	371.4	8.8	61.4
South Western Victoria	105.7	31.4	137.1	13.5	150.6	99.1	9.0	60.3
Western Victoria	86.3	23.9	110.2	10.0	120.2	75.0	8.3	61.6
Northern Victoria	133.3	37.8	171.1	18.1	189.2	121.7	9.6	60.9
Eastern Victoria	96.3	24.2	120.5	10.6	131.1	75.6	8.1	63.4
Total	1,611.4	392.4	2,003.8	135.8	2,139.6	1,218.4	6.3	63.7

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND AGE,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1989

Age (years)	Males				Females				Persons			
	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
OUTER WESTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	29.7	33.9	11.6	74.6	26.0	27.5	12.7	68.5	55.7	61.4	24.2	71.7
25 - 34	37.6	40.3	*1.6	96.2	22.6	24.1	18.5	56.7	60.2	64.4	20.0	76.3
35 - 44	32.6	33.3	*2.3	93.6	20.9	20.9	10.6	66.2	53.4	54.2	12.9	80.7
45 - 54	20.7	20.9	*2.7	88.7	9.8	10.0	11.6	46.5	30.5	31.0	14.2	68.5
55 and over	11.2	12.0	22.5	34.8	*2.8	*2.8	38.8	*6.8	14.1	14.9	61.3	19.5
Total	131.8	140.5	40.6	77.6	82.2	85.4	92.1	48.1	214.0	225.8	132.7	63.0
NORTH WESTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	15.4	16.4	5.0	76.5	11.2	12.6	5.7	68.8	26.7	29.0	10.8	72.9
25 - 34	18.0	18.8	*1.1	94.6	15.6	15.9	5.0	75.9	33.6	34.6	6.1	85.0
35 - 44	13.1	13.4	*0.8	94.6	11.3	11.8	*4.5	72.4	24.4	25.2	5.3	82.7
45 - 54	8.9	9.6	*2.7	77.9	5.9	6.8	5.7	54.4	14.8	16.4	8.4	66.0
55 and over	8.8	9.3	12.7	42.4	*2.3	*2.3	22.1	*9.3	11.1	11.6	34.8	25.0
Total	64.3	67.6	22.3	75.2	46.2	49.3	43.1	53.4	110.5	116.9	65.4	64.1
INNER MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	12.4	13.5	6.4	67.7	16.1	17.0	5.2	76.5	28.5	30.5	11.7	72.3
25 - 34	23.2	26.9	*2.9	90.2	21.1	22.6	*3.0	88.2	44.2	49.5	5.9	89.3
35 - 44	13.2	13.9	*1.8	88.7	8.9	9.6	*3.3	74.2	22.0	23.5	5.1	82.1
45 - 54	8.6	9.0	*2.6	77.6	*4.2	4.7	*3.3	58.8	12.8	13.7	5.9	70.0
55 and over	*3.6	4.6	11.8	27.9	*1.5	*2.0	18.9	*9.7	5.1	6.6	30.7	17.7
Total	60.9	67.9	25.6	72.7	51.8	55.9	33.7	62.4	112.6	123.8	59.3	67.6
NORTH EASTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	19.6	21.0	8.8	70.4	22.4	27.4	10.9	71.6	42.0	48.4	19.7	71.0
25 - 34	33.3	34.6	*1.3	96.3	20.2	20.2	16.0	55.8	53.5	54.8	17.3	76.0
35 - 44	26.8	27.9	*0.8	97.4	16.0	16.7	10.1	62.4	42.8	44.6	10.9	80.4
45 - 54	19.0	19.2	*3.3	85.2	12.4	12.7	7.9	61.5	31.4	31.9	11.3	73.9
55 and over	13.7	14.3	17.6	44.8	*3.5	*3.5	31.2	*10.1	17.3	17.8	48.8	26.7
Total	112.4	116.9	31.8	78.6	74.5	80.5	76.1	51.4	186.9	197.4	107.9	64.6
INNER EASTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	28.9	32.8	13.3	71.2	28.9	32.1	14.1	69.5	57.8	64.9	27.4	70.4
25 - 34	23.2	23.4	*2.7	89.7	19.4	20.2	7.6	72.6	42.6	43.6	10.3	80.9
35 - 44	25.8	26.1	*1.8	93.6	23.6	25.3	8.9	74.0	49.4	51.4	10.7	82.8
45 - 54	28.9	29.6	*2.1	93.3	20.1	20.4	11.4	64.0	49.0	50.0	13.6	78.6
55 and over	17.0	17.8	23.1	43.5	8.0	8.3	44.4	15.8	25.1	26.1	67.5	27.9
Total	123.8	129.8	43.0	75.1	100.1	106.2	86.5	55.1	223.9	236.0	129.4	64.6

SOUTHERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	23.4	24.1	8.4	74.1	14.7	17.7	6.3	73.7	38.2	41.8	14.7	73.9
25 - 34	26.0	26.6	*0.8	97.1	22.4	23.4	4.8	83.0	48.5	50.0	5.6	89.9
35 - 44	27.0	28.0	*1.0	96.5	20.3	22.3	9.3	70.6	47.3	50.4	10.3	83.0
45 - 54	14.2	14.2	*2.4	85.5	9.8	10.5	7.7	57.8	24.0	24.7	10.1	71.0
55 and over	18.3	18.5	26.6	41.0	9.2	9.2	46.2	16.6	27.5	27.7	72.8	27.6
Total	109.0	111.5	39.3	74.0	76.4	83.1	74.3	52.8	185.4	194.6	113.6	63.1
OUTER EASTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	22.5	25.1	7.8	76.4	26.1	29.5	6.7	81.5	48.6	54.6	14.4	79.1
25 - 34	34.6	35.4	*1.1	97.1	21.0	23.0	12.9	64.1	55.6	58.4	14.0	80.7
35 - 44	32.5	33.0	*0.8	97.7	24.6	26.1	9.3	73.6	57.0	59.0	10.1	85.4
45 - 54	20.8	20.8	*0.5	97.7	14.5	15.0	7.3	67.4	35.3	35.7	7.7	82.2
55 and over	10.0	10.5	17.6	37.4	5.1	5.1	34.3	13.0	15.1	15.7	51.9	23.2
Total	120.4	124.8	27.7	81.8	91.3	98.7	70.4	58.4	211.6	223.5	98.1	69.5
MORNINGTON PENINSULA												
15 - 24	24.9	26.6	7.8	77.4	19.6	23.3	8.9	72.2	44.4	49.9	16.7	74.9
25 - 34	33.8	34.5	*0.5	98.5	23.7	25.2	12.4	67.0	57.5	59.8	12.9	82.2
35 - 44	39.0	39.5	*2.8	93.4	25.4	27.1	12.9	67.8	64.4	66.6	15.6	81.0
45 - 54	21.0	21.0	*1.7	92.6	12.9	12.9	8.4	60.5	33.9	33.9	10.1	77.1
55 and over	14.8	15.3	33.3	31.5	4.9	4.9	51.8	8.7	19.8	20.3	85.1	19.2
Total	133.4	137.0	46.1	74.8	86.5	93.4	94.4	49.7	220.0	230.4	140.5	62.1
TOTAL MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION												
15 - 19 -	68.8	78.9	53.5	59.6	61.6	77.6	51.2	60.2	130.4	156.5	104.7	59.9
15 - 17	27.8	34.2	43.4	44.1	27.7	35.4	39.7	47.1	55.5	69.7	83.2	45.6
18 - 19	41.0	44.6	10.0	81.6	33.9	42.1	11.4	78.7	74.9	86.8	21.5	80.2
20 - 24	108.0	114.7	15.7	88.0	103.4	109.5	19.3	85.0	211.4	224.1	35.0	86.5
25 - 34	229.6	240.5	12.0	95.2	166.1	174.7	80.2	68.5	395.6	415.1	92.2	81.8
35 - 44	210.1	215.1	11.9	94.7	150.8	159.7	68.9	69.9	360.9	374.9	80.9	82.3
45 - 54	142.0	144.4	18.0	88.9	89.7	92.9	63.3	59.5	231.7	237.4	81.3	74.5
55 - 59	50.1	52.8	16.2	76.5	23.1	23.8	42.7	35.8	73.2	76.6	58.9	56.5
60 - 64	36.9	38.6	26.1	59.7	10.2	10.2	57.0	15.1	47.1	48.8	83.1	37.0
65 and over	10.5	10.9	123.0	8.2	*4.2	*4.2	188.0	*2.2	14.7	15.1	311.0	4.6
Total	856.0	895.9	276.4	76.4	609.0	652.6	570.6	53.4	1,465.0	1,548.5	847.0	64.6

**TABLE 8. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND AGE,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1989** -continued

Age (years)	Males				Females				Persons			
	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
SOUTH WESTERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	19.8	22.6	*4.2	84.4	16.8	21.2	4.6	82.1	36.6	43.8	8.8	83.3
25 - 34	22.1	23.6	*0.6	97.5	11.9	12.8	13.3	49.2	34.0	36.4	13.9	72.4
35 - 44	20.0	20.8	*1.3	94.3	15.1	16.3	4.9	77.0	35.1	37.1	6.1	85.8
45 - 54	12.8	13.1	*2.7	83.0	7.1	7.6	7.7	49.8	20.0	20.7	10.4	66.6
55 and over	8.4	9.4	24.4	27.8	*2.9	*3.2	35.5	*8.2	11.3	12.6	59.9	17.4
Total	83.1	89.5	33.2	73.0	53.9	61.1	65.9	48.1	137.1	150.6	99.1	60.3
WESTERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	16.6	20.3	4.7	81.3	11.4	13.8	5.5	71.6	28.0	34.1	10.2	77.1
25 - 34	16.0	17.4	*0.9	95.0	10.0	10.3	7.4	58.2	26.0	27.7	8.3	77.0
35 - 44	15.9	16.5	*1.0	94.2	10.3	11.3	5.8	66.2	26.3	27.8	6.8	80.4
45 - 54	9.5	10.0	*2.4	80.3	6.9	6.9	5.2	57.0	16.4	16.9	7.6	68.9
55 and over	9.5	9.8	15.0	39.3	*4.0	*4.0	27.1	*13.0	13.5	13.8	42.2	24.6
Total	67.6	73.9	24.1	75.4	42.6	46.3	50.9	47.6	110.2	120.2	75.0	61.6
NORTHERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	20.1	24.6	7.1	77.5	13.5	17.9	10.3	63.5	33.5	42.5	17.4	70.9
25 - 34	27.3	30.0	*0.9	97.1	17.8	19.3	12.0	61.6	45.1	49.3	12.9	79.2
35 - 44	26.1	26.6	*1.5	94.6	15.8	17.7	10.3	63.1	41.9	44.3	11.9	78.9
45 - 54	18.3	19.2	*2.4	88.8	14.0	14.8	8.2	64.4	32.3	34.0	10.6	76.3
55 and over	14.8	15.1	26.1	36.6	*3.5	*4.0	42.8	*8.6	18.3	19.1	68.9	21.7
Total	106.5	115.5	38.1	75.2	64.6	73.7	83.6	46.9	171.1	189.2	121.7	60.9
EASTERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	11.5	13.3	*3.4	79.6	14.5	16.6	5.7	74.6	25.9	29.9	9.1	76.7
25 - 34	22.4	24.5	*1.2	95.3	12.5	13.4	9.8	57.8	34.9	37.9	11.0	77.6
35 - 44	19.3	20.1	*1.5	93.0	11.4	12.5	7.9	61.1	30.7	32.5	9.4	77.5
45 - 54	11.9	12.1	*1.5	89.3	6.4	6.7	*4.0	62.7	18.3	18.8	5.4	77.6
55 and over	7.2	8.2	16.7	33.1	*3.5	*3.7	24.1	*13.4	10.6	11.9	40.7	22.7
Total	72.3	78.3	24.2	76.3	48.2	52.9	51.4	50.7	120.5	131.1	75.6	63.4

TOTAL BALANCE OF VICTORIA												
15 - 19 -	29.0	37.7	16.6	69.4	26.2	34.0	17.1	66.6	55.2	71.7	33.7	68.0
15 - 17	14.3	18.4	14.6	55.7	12.6	16.8	13.9	54.7	26.9	35.2	28.6	55.2
18 - 19	14.7	19.3	*2.0	90.7	13.6	17.2	*3.1	84.6	28.3	36.5	5.1	87.7
20 - 24	38.9	43.1	*2.8	93.9	30.0	35.5	9.0	79.8	68.9	78.6	11.8	87.0
25 - 34	87.8	95.5	*3.6	96.3	52.2	55.8	42.4	56.8	140.0	151.3	46.0	76.7
35 - 44	81.3	83.9	5.3	94.0	52.6	57.8	28.9	66.7	133.9	141.7	34.2	80.5
45 - 54	52.5	54.5	9.0	85.8	34.5	35.9	25.0	59.0	*87.0	90.4	34.0	72.7
55 - 59	19.8	21.2	7.7	73.3	8.2	8.9	19.4	31.4	28.0	30.0	27.1	52.5
60 - 64	12.0	13.2	15.9	45.4	*3.9	*4.2	25.7	*13.9	15.9	17.4	41.6	29.5
65 and over	8.0	8.0	58.6	12.0	*1.9	*1.9	84.3	*2.2	9.9	9.9	142.9	6.5
Total	329.4	357.1	119.6	74.9	209.4	234.0	251.8	48.2	538.8	591.1	371.4	61.4

TOTAL VICTORIA												
15 - 19 -	97.7	116.6	70.1	62.5	87.8	111.6	68.2	62.0	185.5	228.2	138.3	62.3
15 - 17	42.1	52.6	58.1	47.5	40.3	52.3	53.7	49.3	82.4	104.9	111.7	48.4
18 - 19	55.6	64.0	12.0	84.2	47.5	59.3	14.6	80.3	103.2	123.3	26.6	82.2
20 - 24	147.0	157.8	18.5	89.5	133.4	145.0	28.3	83.7	280.4	302.7	46.8	86.6
25 - 34	317.4	336.0	15.6	95.6	218.3	230.5	122.6	65.3	535.7	566.5	138.2	80.4
35 - 44	291.4	299.0	17.2	94.5	203.4	217.5	97.8	69.0	494.8	516.5	115.1	81.8
45 - 54	194.6	198.9	27.1	88.0	124.1	128.9	88.3	59.3	318.7	327.8	115.3	74.0
55 - 59	69.9	73.9	23.9	75.6	31.2	32.7	62.2	34.5	101.1	106.6	86.1	55.3
60 - 64	48.9	51.9	42.0	55.2	14.1	14.3	82.7	14.8	63.0	66.2	124.7	34.7
65 and over	18.5	19.0	181.6	9.5	6.1	6.1	272.2	2.2	24.6	25.1	453.8	5.2
Total	1,185.4	1,253.1	396.0	76.0	818.4	886.6	822.4	51.9	2,003.8	2,139.6	1,218.4	63.7

TABLE 9. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY, VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1989
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TABLE 9. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY, VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1989 -continued
(^{'000})

Industry	Balance of Victoria					Total Victoria		
	South Western	Western	Northern	Eastern	Total	Married	Other	Total
MALES								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	14.0	18.7	19.3	16.7	68.7	50.1	27.3	77.4
Manufacturing	21.6	9.3	18.4	9.8	59.1	181.1	93.3	274.4
Construction	7.6	5.0	11.7	11.2	35.5	88.6	40.9	129.5
Wholesale and retail	15.1	14.4	18.2	8.4	56.1	131.9	101.3	233.2
Transport and storage	5.0	*4.0	6.2	*2.2	17.4	55.8	21.9	77.7
Finance, property, and business services	*4.5	*1.9	*4.1	*4.4	14.9	67.3	39.2	106.5
Community services (a)	6.0	6.9	11.7	7.2	31.8	83.7	39.8	123.5
Recreational, personal, and other services	*2.1	*2.5	*3.9	*2.3	10.7	25.1	24.1	49.1
Other industries (b)	7.2	4.9	13.0	10.1	35.2	74.4	39.5	113.9
Total	83.1	67.6	106.5	72.3	329.4	757.9	427.4	1,185.4
FEMALES								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	4.9	5.9	7.5	8.9	27.2	25.9	8.6	34.5
Manufacturing	7.7	*3.2	7.7	*3.6	22.1	79.7	37.5	117.2
Construction	*1.2	*0.3	*1.4	*0.5	*3.4	16.2	*3.0	19.2
Wholesale and retail	12.0	12.0	14.5	10.3	48.8	97.6	88.0	185.7
Transport and storage	*0.8	*0.0	*0.3	*0.5	*1.6	7.2	6.9	14.1
Finance, property, and business services	4.9	*3.1	5.7	*4.2	17.8	52.4	53.7	106.1
Community services (a)	14.3	14.2	14.4	15.1	58.1	143.2	81.2	224.4
Recreational, personal, and other services	5.7	*2.1	7.0	*3.3	18.1	29.1	30.2	59.4
Other industries (b)	*2.5	*1.9	6.1	*1.8	12.4	29.3	28.7	58.0
Total	53.9	42.6	64.6	48.2	209.4	480.6	337.8	818.4
PERSONS								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	18.8	24.7	26.8	25.6	95.9	75.9	35.9	111.9
Manufacturing	29.3	12.4	26.1	13.4	81.3	260.8	130.8	391.6
Construction	8.8	5.4	13.1	11.6	38.9	104.7	44.0	148.7
Wholesale and retail	27.1	26.4	32.7	18.7	104.9	229.5	189.4	418.9
Transport and storage	5.9	*4.0	6.5	*2.7	19.0	63.0	28.8	91.8
Finance, property, and business services	9.3	4.9	9.8	8.6	32.7	119.7	92.8	212.6
Community services (a)	20.3	21.1	26.1	22.3	89.8	226.9	121.0	347.9
Recreational, personal, and other services	7.8	4.5	10.8	5.6	28.8	54.2	54.3	108.5
Other industries (b)	9.7	6.8	19.0	12.0	47.6	103.7	68.2	171.9
Total	137.1	110.2	171.1	120.5	538.8	1,238.6	765.2	2,003.8

(a) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (b) Comprises electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence.

TABLE 10. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY OCCUPATION, VICTORIAN REGIONS, FEBRUARY 1989
(^{'000})

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**TABLE 10. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY OCCUPATION, VICTORIAN REGIONS,
FEBRUARY 1989** *-continued*
(^{'000})

Occupation	Balance of Victoria					Total Victoria		
	South Western	Western	Northern	Eastern	Total	Married	Other	Total
MALES								
Managers, and administrators	14.0	17.7	23.1	14.5	69.3	140.7	32.1	172.8
Professionals	6.7	*4.2	10.1	9.0	30.0	111.0	49.9	160.9
Para-professionals	*4.5	*2.1	5.8	*3.5	15.8	43.9	20.8	64.6
Tradespersons	16.5	16.0	24.7	18.8	76.0	174.3	115.8	290.0
Clerks	*4.2	4.7	4.9	*2.1	15.8	43.4	36.7	80.2
Salespersons, and professional service workers	5.4	4.7	7.8	*3.0	20.8	49.6	45.4	95.0
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	14.7	6.1	12.6	9.5	42.9	102.6	36.7	139.4
Labourers, and related workers	17.1	12.2	17.7	11.7	58.7	92.6	89.9	182.5
Total	83.1	67.6	106.5	72.3	329.4	757.9	427.4	1,185.4
FEMALES								
Managers, and administrators	*4.1	6.0	8.4	9.2	27.7	45.8	11.4	57.2
Professionals	4.6	*3.8	*4.3	*4.2	17.0	54.0	39.6	93.6
Para-professionals	4.5	*2.2	*3.9	*2.7	13.4	29.6	21.6	51.2
Tradespersons	*3.3	*0.8	*2.2	*1.8	8.0	14.4	12.1	26.5
Clerks	12.0	9.2	16.6	12.1	49.9	152.5	109.1	261.6
Salespersons, and professional service workers	12.7	10.9	17.2	11.9	52.7	80.3	94.4	174.8
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	*3.2	*1.2	*3.3	*1.3	9.0	30.7	13.3	44.1
Labourers, and related workers	9.5	8.6	8.7	5.0	31.8	73.2	36.3	109.5
Total	53.9	42.6	64.6	48.2	209.4	480.6	337.8	818.4
PERSONS								
Managers, and administrators	18.1	23.6	31.4	23.8	97.0	186.5	43.5	230.0
Professionals	11.4	8.0	14.4	13.2	47.0	165.0	89.5	254.5
Para-professionals	9.0	*4.3	9.7	6.2	29.2	73.5	42.4	115.8
Tradespersons	19.8	16.7	26.8	20.6	84.0	188.6	127.9	316.5
Clerks	16.2	13.8	21.5	14.3	65.8	195.9	145.8	341.8
Salespersons, and professional service workers	18.0	15.6	25.0	15.0	73.5	129.9	139.8	269.7
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	18.0	7.2	15.9	10.8	51.9	133.3	50.1	183.4
Labourers, and related workers	26.6	20.8	26.4	16.6	90.5	165.8	126.2	292.0
Total	137.1	110.2	171.1	120.5	538.8	1,238.6	765.2	2,003.8

**TABLE 11. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION BY AGE,
VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989
(^{'000})**

Classification	Age group (years)						60 and over	Total
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-59		
INDUSTRY DIVISION OR SUB-DIVISION								
Agriculture, and services to agriculture	10.8	7.9	14.1	24.0	16.6	7.4	18.1	98.9
Forestry, fishing, and hunting	*0.3	*0.0	*2.1	*1.5	*0.2	*0.5	*0.0	4.8
Mining	*0.2	*1.4	*2.6	*2.3	*1.2	*0.3	*0.2	8.2
Manufacturing -	30.8	49.6	109.1	96.9	68.6	20.2	16.3	391.6
Food, beverages, and tobacco	5.7	6.9	14.3	13.3	9.8	*1.9	*1.2	53.1
Metal products	*4.0	8.7	13.0	14.0	9.3	*2.4	*2.7	54.2
Other manufacturing	21.1	34.0	81.8	69.5	49.5	15.9	12.4	284.3
Construction	13.0	17.7	43.9	33.2	28.6	7.2	5.1	148.7
Wholesale and retail	80.3	69.7	88.4	87.3	64.8	18.0	10.4	418.9
Transport and storage	*3.8	7.0	26.4	27.2	15.4	6.4	5.6	91.8
Finance, property, and business services	17.1	43.6	58.8	55.5	23.4	7.6	6.5	212.6
Community services (a)	9.0	37.9	106.9	100.6	59.1	20.4	14.2	347.9
Recreational, personal, and other services	16.3	22.2	30.3	18.5	12.1	*3.4	5.8	108.5
Other industries (b)	*3.9	23.5	53.0	47.9	28.7	9.5	5.4	171.9
Total	185.5	280.4	535.7	494.8	318.7	101.1	87.6	2,003.8
OCCUPATION								
Managers, and administrators	*1.8	10.8	42.1	75.4	59.1	15.7	25.0	230.0
Professionals	*2.2	23.9	88.9	79.1	37.7	12.4	10.2	254.5
Para-professionals	*2.1	16.1	37.5	34.1	17.4	5.5	*3.2	115.8
Tradespersons	40.2	49.6	88.9	60.9	47.3	15.4	14.2	316.5
Clerks	24.6	68.8	102.9	79.1	45.7	13.4	7.2	341.8
Salespersons, and professional service workers	62.2	52.6	57.6	52.3	28.7	10.1	6.2	269.7
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	5.5	16.9	58.9	49.8	35.3	9.4	7.8	183.4
Labourers, and related workers	47.0	41.6	58.8	64.2	47.5	19.1	13.9	292.0
Total	185.5	280.4	535.7	494.8	318.7	101.1	87.6	2,003.8

(a) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (b) Comprises electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence.

TABLE 12. EMPLOYED PERSONS: AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED (a) BY INDUSTRY, AND OCCUPATION, VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989
(hours)

Classification	Males			Females			Persons		
	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total
INDUSTRY DIVISION OR SUB-DIVISION									
Agriculture, and services to agriculture	57.4	43.4	52.5	25.8	25.2	25.7	46.0	38.7	43.7
Forestry, fishing, and hunting	58.9	*48.0	55.2	*7.0	*0.0	*7.0	55.2	*48.0	52.9
Mining	39.4	43.8	41.2	*26.1	*42.3	*31.5	36.7	43.6	39.4
Manufacturing -	37.0	33.8	35.9	28.9	31.6	29.8	34.5	33.2	34.1
Food, beverages, and tobacco	35.1	33.3	34.5	27.2	23.8	26.1	32.3	30.2	31.6
Metal products	38.2	35.8	37.4	27.1	35.5	29.8	35.7	35.7	35.7
Other manufacturing	37.1	33.5	35.8	29.5	32.7	30.5	34.7	33.3	34.2
Construction	38.5	33.6	37.0	10.7	23.1	12.7	34.2	32.9	33.8
Wholesale and retail	42.8	33.1	38.6	27.6	23.8	25.8	36.3	28.8	32.9
Transport and storage	40.5	33.4	38.5	26.1	35.1	30.5	38.8	33.8	37.3
Finance, property, and business services	40.0	36.7	38.8	25.0	30.9	28.0	33.4	33.3	33.4
Community services (b)	35.5	35.1	35.4	25.5	29.7	27.0	29.2	31.5	30.0
Recreational, personal, and other services	42.5	28.1	35.4	26.6	26.8	26.7	33.9	27.4	30.6
Other industries (c)	29.8	29.2	29.6	22.9	28.7	25.7	27.9	29.0	28.3
Total	39.3	33.9	37.3	25.9	28.2	26.8	34.1	31.4	33.0
OCCUPATION									
Managers, and administrators	49.8	52.7	50.3	36.5	36.4	36.5	46.5	48.4	46.9
Professionals	38.3	36.4	37.7	28.2	33.3	30.3	35.0	35.0	35.0
Para-professionals	36.5	29.9	34.3	25.6	32.7	28.6	32.1	31.3	31.8
Tradespersons	37.4	34.0	36.0	29.1	30.3	29.7	36.8	33.6	35.5
Clerks	31.4	32.3	31.8	23.4	30.2	26.2	25.2	30.7	27.5
Salespersons, and professional service workers	37.8	31.7	34.9	22.6	23.4	23.1	28.4	26.1	27.2
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	38.6	34.6	37.6	32.5	32.2	32.4	37.2	34.0	36.3
Labourers, and related workers	34.5	27.9	31.3	22.8	21.3	22.3	29.3	26.0	27.9
Total	39.3	33.9	37.3	25.9	28.2	26.8	34.1	31.4	33.0

(a) Persons with jobs who did not work during the survey week have been included in the calculation of average weekly hours worked. The relative standard errors of these estimates are obtained by first finding the relative standard error of the estimate of the total number of persons in the estimate (see Table A), and then multiplying by a factor of 0.7. For further information refer technical notes in The Labour Force, Australia (6203.0)(monthly). (b) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (c) Comprises electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence.

**TABLE 13. EMPLOYED PERSONS: STATUS OF WORKER AND HOURS WORKED,
VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989**

Status of worker	Males			Females			Persons		
	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total
	'000								
Employers	54.2	9.2	63.4	22.4	*2.1	24.5	76.6	11.3	87.9
Self-employed	104.9	30.2	135.1	54.9	8.6	63.6	159.8	38.8	198.6
Wage and salary earners	596.5	382.3	978.9	398.0	323.1	721.1	994.6	705.4	1,700.0
Unpaid family helpers (a)	*2.3	5.7	8.0	5.2	*4.0	9.2	7.6	9.7	17.3
Total	757.9	427.4	1,185.4	480.6	337.8	818.4	1,238.6	765.2	2,003.8
HOURS WORKED									
Employers	51.1	53.8	51.5	31.1	*35.9	31.5	45.2	50.4	45.9
Self-employed	47.1	43.8	46.3	25.7	32.1	26.6	39.7	41.2	40.0
Wage and salary earners	36.9	32.9	35.4	25.7	28.2	26.8	32.4	30.8	31.7
Unpaid family helpers (a)	17.9	13.1	14.5	15.4	12.7	14.2	16.1	12.9	14.3
Total	39.3	33.9	37.3	25.9	28.2	26.8	34.1	31.4	33.0

(a) Unpaid family helpers who worked 1 hour or more a week in a family business or farm.

**TABLE 14. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST JOB,
VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989**

Particulars	Number ('000)			Unemployment rate (per cent)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Employed (a) in the past two years -						
Industry -						
Manufacturing	8.7	4.8	13.4	3.1	3.9	3.3
Construction	*3.8	*0.2	*4.0	*2.8	*1.3	*2.6
Wholesale and retail	6.7	5.5	12.3	2.8	2.9	2.8
Community services (b)	*1.8	5.8	7.6	*1.4	2.5	2.1
Recreational, personal, and other services	*2.8	*1.9	4.7	*5.4	*3.1	4.2
Other industries (c)	11.7	7.1	18.8	3.0	3.2	3.1
Occupation -						
Tradespersons	7.5	*0.8	8.2	2.5	*2.9	2.5
Clerical	*2.6	11.3	13.9	*3.2	4.2	3.9
Salespersons, and professional service workers	*3.6	4.7	8.4	*3.7	2.6	3.0
Labourers, and related workers	12.9	*2.6	15.5	6.6	*2.3	5.0
Other occupations (d)	8.9	5.9	14.8	1.6	2.4	1.9
Total	35.5	25.3	60.8	2.9	3.0	2.9
Not employed (a) in the past two years	19.2	25.0	44.3	..	..	..
Stood down	*2.0	*3.5	5.4	..	..	..
Looking for first job	11.0	14.3	25.3	..	..	..
Total	67.7	68.1	135.8	5.4	7.7	6.3

(a) Having held a full-time job for two weeks. (b) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (c) Comprises agriculture and services to agriculture; forestry, fishing and hunting; mining; transport and storage; finance, property, and business services; electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence. (d) Comprises managers and administrators; professionals; para-professionals; plant and machine operators and drivers.

**TABLE 15. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (a),
VICTORIA, FEBRUARY 1989**

Particulars	Number ('000)			Percentage distribution		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Duration of unemployment (weeks) -						
Under 2	*3.3	9.5	12.8	*4.9	13.9	9.4
2 and under 4	8.0	12.6	20.7	11.9	18.5	15.2
4 and under 8	11.4	12.8	24.2	16.8	18.7	17.8
8 and under 13	8.2	9.5	17.7	12.1	13.9	13.0
13 and under 26	12.3	7.1	19.5	18.2	10.5	14.3
26 and under 52	7.2	6.3	13.4	10.6	9.2	9.9
52 and under 104	7.3	6.7	14.0	10.7	9.8	10.3
104 and over	9.9	*3.7	13.6	14.7	*5.4	10.0
Age (years) -						
15-19						
Under 13 weeks	11.5	16.1	27.6	17.0	23.6	20.4
13 weeks and under 52	5.4	5.3	10.7	8.0	7.8	7.9
52 weeks and over	*1.9	*2.3	*4.3	*2.8	*3.4	*3.1
Total	18.9	23.8	42.6	27.9	34.9	31.4
20-24						
Under 13 weeks	4.6	7.6	12.1	6.8	11.1	8.9
13 weeks and under 52	*3.3	*2.2	5.6	*4.9	*3.3	4.1
52 weeks and over	*2.9	*1.8	4.7	*4.3	*2.6	3.4
Total	10.8	11.6	22.4	16.0	17.0	16.5
25 and over						
Under 13 weeks	14.9	20.7	35.6	22.0	30.4	26.2
13 weeks and under 52	10.8	5.8	16.6	15.9	8.6	12.2
52 weeks and over	12.4	6.3	18.6	18.3	9.2	13.7
Total	38.0	32.8	70.8	56.2	48.1	52.1
Total	67.7	68.1	135.8	100.0	100.0	100.0

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (WEEKS)

Average (mean) duration -						
Aged 15-19	16.0	15.2	15.5	..	..	..
Aged 20-24	52.4	28.5	40.0	..	..	..
Aged 25 and over	64.1	33.9	50.2	..	..	..
All ages	48.8	26.5	37.6	..	..	..
Median duration (b) -						
Aged 15-19	8.0	8.0	8.0	..	..	..
Aged 20-24	*23.0	*6.0	10.0	..	..	..
Aged 25 and over	16.0	6.0	12.0	..	..	..
All ages	14.0	7.0	9.0	..	..	..

(a) Period from the time a person began looking for work, or was laid off to the end of the survey week. Periods of unemployment are recorded in complete weeks resulting in a slight understatement of duration of unemployment. (b) For information regarding the calculation of standard errors, refer to technical notes in The Labour Force, Australia (6203.0)(monthly)

TABLE A: STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES

VICTORIA, MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION AND BALANCE OF VICTORIA														
Size of estimate	4,500	5,000	6,000	10,000	20,000	50,000	100,000	200,000	300,000	500,000	1,000,000	2,000,000	5,000,000	
Standard error	1,100	1,150	1,250	1,550	2,100	3,050	4,000	5,100	5,900	7,000	8,600	10,600	13,600	
VICTORIAN LABOUR FORCE REGIONS														
Size of estimate	3,500	4,000	4,500	5,000	6,000	8,000	10,000	20,000	30,000	40,000	50,000	100,000	200,000	300,000
	Standard error													
Melbourne Statistical Division -														
Outer Western Melbourne	-	950	1,000	1,050	1,150	1,350	1,500	2,100	2,550	2,900	3,250	4,500	6,200	7,400
North Western Melbourne	-	950	1,000	1,050	1,150	1,350	1,500	2,100	2,550	2,900	3,250	4,500	6,200	7,400
Inner Melbourne	830	880	930	990	1,100	1,250	1,400	1,950	2,350	2,700	3,000	4,150	5,700	-
North Eastern Melbourne	-	950	1,000	1,050	1,150	1,350	1,500	2,100	2,550	2,900	3,250	4,450	6,200	-
Inner Eastern Melbourne	870	930	990	1,050	1,150	1,300	1,450	2,050	2,500	2,850	3,150	4,400	6,000	7,300
Southern Melbourne	-	-	1,100	1,200	1,300	1,500	1,650	2,300	2,800	3,250	3,600	4,950	6,900	-
Outer Eastern Melbourne	-	-	1,050	1,150	1,250	1,400	1,600	2,200	2,700	3,100	3,450	4,750	6,600	7,900
Mornington peninsula	-	990	1,050	1,100	1,200	1,400	1,550	2,150	2,650	3,000	3,350	4,650	6,400	7,700
Balance of Victoria -														
South Western Victoria	-	940	1,000	1,050	1,150	1,350	1,500	2,050	2,500	2,900	3,200	4,450	6,100	-
Western Victoria	860	910	970	1,000	1,100	1,300	1,450	2,000	2,450	2,800	3,100	4,300	5,900	-
Northern Victoria	-	940	1,000	1,050	1,150	1,350	1,500	2,050	2,500	2,900	3,200	4,450	6,100	-
Eastern Victoria	-	980	1,050	1,100	1,200	1,350	1,550	2,150	2,600	3,000	3,300	4,600	6,300	-

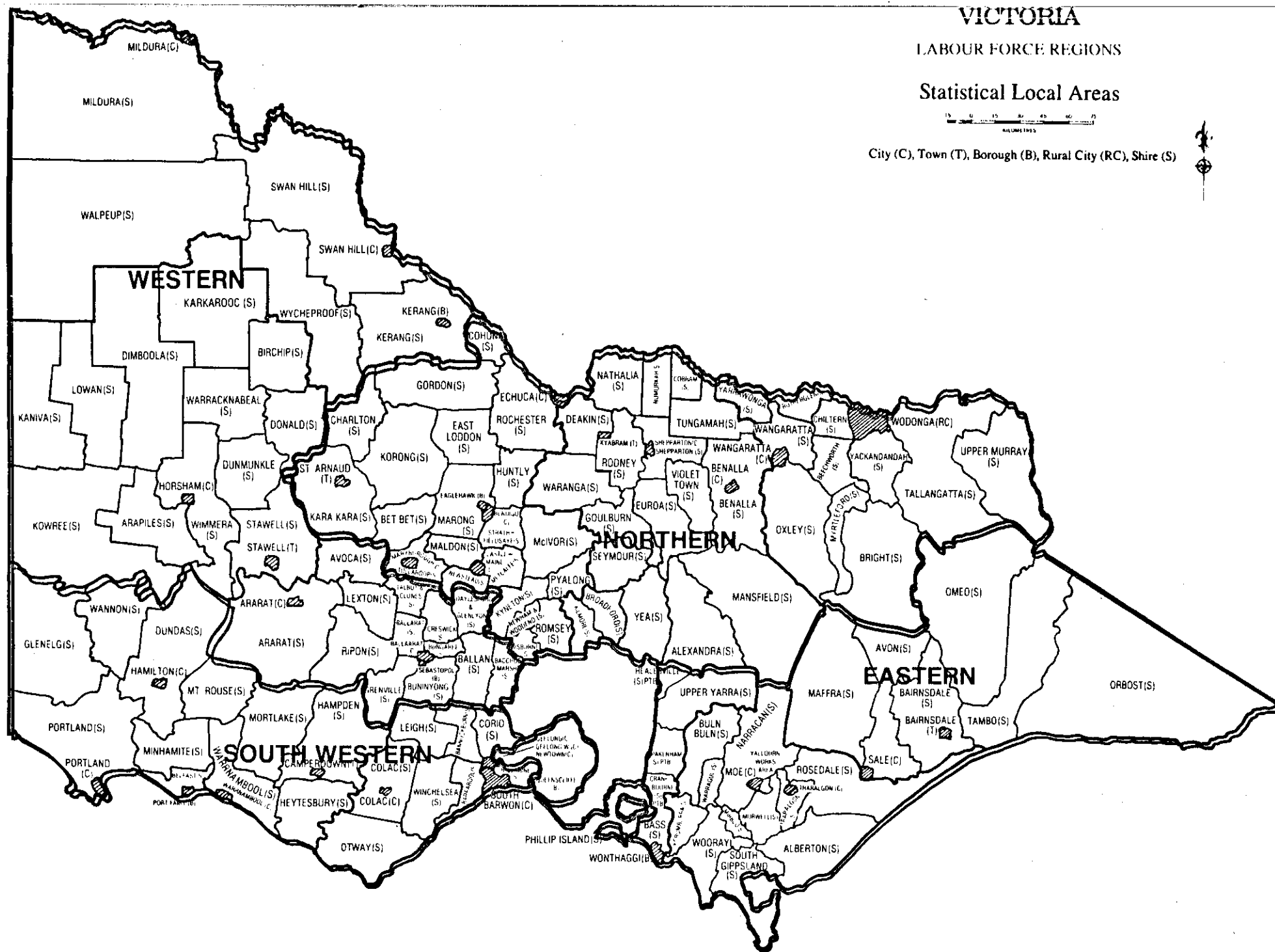
TABLE B: STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES OF MONTH TO MONTH MOVEMENTS

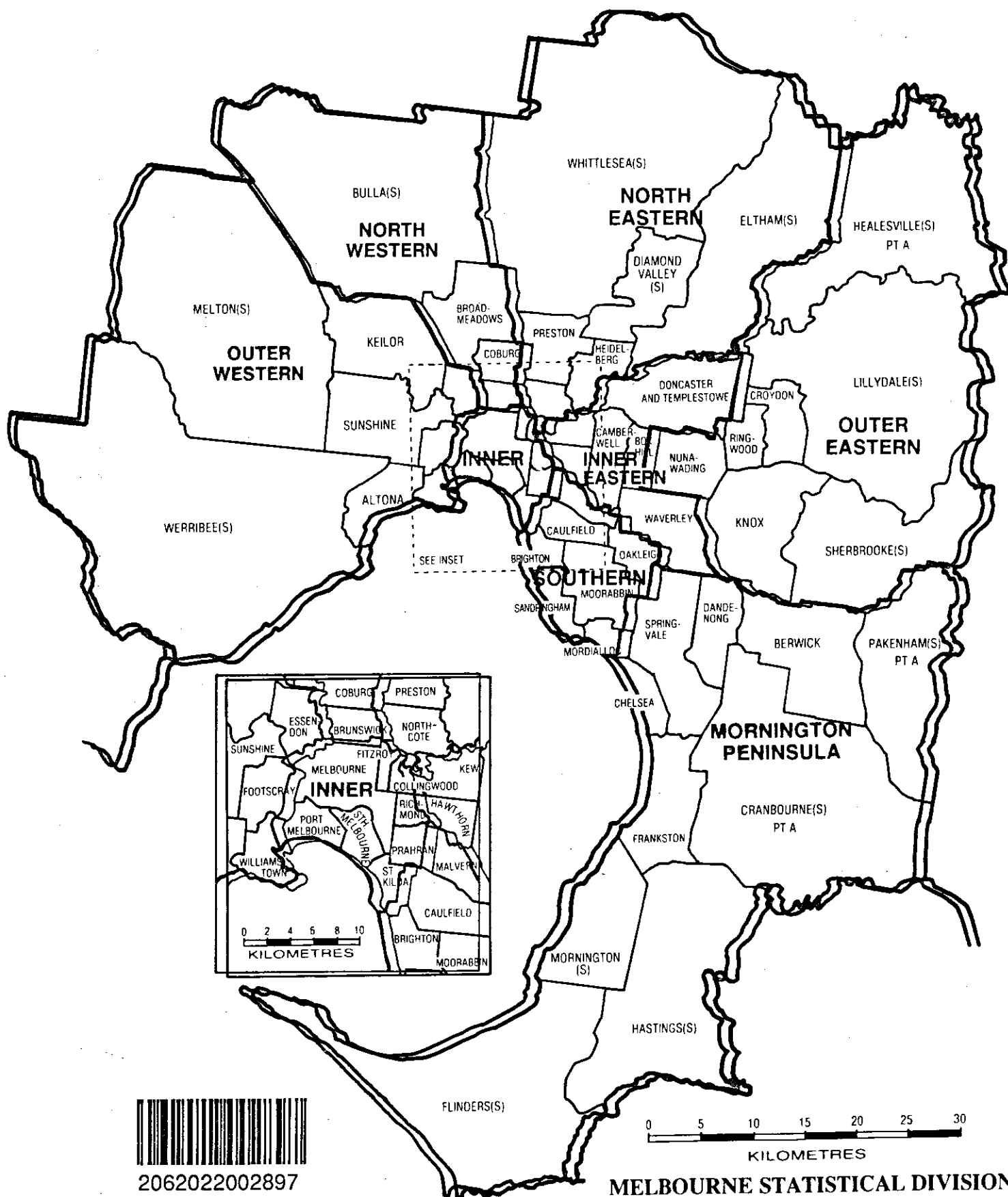
VICTORIA, MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION AND BALANCE OF VICTORIA														
Size of estimate	4,500	5,000	6,000	10,000	20,000	50,000	100,000	200,000	300,000	500,000	1,000,000	2,000,000	5,000,000	
Standard error	1,050	1,050	1,150	1,350	1,750	2,400	3,100	3,950	4,550	5,400	6,900	8,900	12,200	
VICTORIA LABOUR FORCE REGIONS														
Size of larger estimate	3,500	4,000	4,500	5,000	6,000	8,000	10,000	20,000	30,000	40,000	50,000	100,000	200,000	300,000
	Standard error													
Melbourne Statistical Division -														
Outer Western Melbourne	-	740	770	800	860	970	1,050	1,400	1,600	1,800	2,000	2,600	3,400	4,000
North Western Melbourne	-	740	770	800	860	970	1,050	1,400	1,600	1,800	2,000	2,600	3,400	4,000
Inner Melbourne	670	710	740	780	830	930	1,000	1,350	1,550	1,750	1,900	2,500	3,300	-
North Eastern Melbourne	-	670	700	730	780	880	960	1,250	1,450	1,650	1,800	2,350	3,100	-
Inner Eastern Melbourne	670	700	730	760	820	920	1,000	1,300	1,550	1,750	1,900	2,450	3,250	3,800
Southern Melbourne	-	-	840	880	940	1,050	1,150	1,500	1,750	2,000	2,150	2,950	3,700	-
Outer Eastern Melbourne	-	-	880	920	980	1,100	1,200	1,600	1,850	2,050	2,250	2,950	3,900	4,550
Mornington peninsula	-	750	790	820	880	990	1,100	1,400	1,650	1,850	2,000	2,650	3,500	4,100
Balance of Victoria -														
South Western Victoria	-	680	710	750	800	900	980	1,300	1,500	1,700	1,850	2,400	3,150	-
Western Victoria	690	730	760	790	850	950	1,050	1,350	1,600	1,800	1,950	2,550	3,350	-
Northern Victoria	-	780	810	850	910	1,000	1,100	1,450	1,700	1,900	2,100	2,750	3,600	-
Eastern Victoria	-	660	690	720	780	870	950	1,250	1,450	1,650	1,800	2,350	3,050	-

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